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Sent: 2/20/2018 10:05:07 PM
To: doug@forumfg.com; LaPoma, Jennifer [LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov]
CC: Salkie, Diane [Salkie.Diane@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: CAG presentations to the CSTAG on March 1

Doug: Thanks for the update.

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From: doug forumfg.com [mailto:doug@forumfg.com]
Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2018 4:14 PM
To: LaPoma, Jennifer <LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov>
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Subject: Re: CAG presentations to the CSTAG on March 1

Hi,

The only other person who is interested in attending is Sarah Lerman-Sinkoff. Jay Meegoda is interested in listening by phone.

I will be distributing the CAG comments later today or tomorrow morning and let people know about the limited space.

thanks
Doug

On Feb 20, 2018, at 8:53 AM, LaPoma, Jennifer <LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Doug,

Alice forwarded me your message from yesterday regarding the CSTAG meeting. With respect to the March 1st morning portion of the meeting, I wanted to clarify that it is not a public meeting. The Region has invited stakeholders to participate in the morning portion of the March 1st CSTAG meeting. Those stakeholders include the NJDEP, natural resource trustee agencies (NOAA and USFWS) and community groups, like the CAG.

It is correct that I will need names of who will be attending on behalf of the CAG. While I need to ensure we have space, I also need to provide the list of attendees to the General Services Administration (GSA) so they can ensure entry into our building that morning. I need to provide that list to GSA by tomorrow so anyone whose name I do not have by then won't be guaranteed space in the meeting room. I do anticipate there will be limited space in the meeting room.

Thanks,

Jen

From: Yeh, Alice

Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2018 7:32 AM

To: LaPoma, Jennifer <LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov>; Salkie, Diane <Salkie.Diane@epa.gov>; Sivak, Michael <Sivak.Michael@epa.gov>

Subject: FW: CAG presentations to the CSTAG on March 1

Just wanted to make sure you got this.

From: doug forumfg.com [mailto:doug@forumfg.com]

Sent: Monday, February 19, 2018 9:35 AM

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Subject: CAG presentations to the CSTAG on March 1

Hi CAG members,

As we have discussed, the CAG will be making a presentation to EPA's Contaminated Sediments Technical Advisory Group (CSTAG) on March 1. Ana will be presenting for the CAG supported by me. Also present will be the EPA Technical Assistance Grant (TAG) holder Baykeeper and the TAG indecent expert Peter DeFur. The CAG and TAG are coordinating to present a single set of comments. We are using our history of comments regarding accelerated action, and the specific questions and concerns raised at the last CAG meeting to frame this input. Written comments are due this week so there is not a lot of time to coordinate, but we will have a little more time to frame the oral comments.

If you have any comments or questions you want to be considered in the CAG comments, please forward them to me as soon as possible. Please note that this is all very preliminary, there will be additional opportunities for the CAG to weigh in on this issue as the formal process plays out.

The CSTAG meeting on the morning of March 1 is a public session and anyone is able to attend. I have attached the agenda and location. Please let me know if you plan to attend so I can make sure there is enough room and you have any needed information.

Feel free to contact me with any questions,

take care,
Doug

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